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TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, July 13.

The Queen's sight is said to be failing.

Three hundred and twenty-one deaths from cholera are reported from Cairo.

Hon. David Mills will not be in Laurier's cabinet.

H. M. S. "Terrible" maintained a speed of 20 knots on her trial trip.

British newspapers regard Bryan's nominations as incendiary and revolutionary.

Twenty-eight persons were killed and 51 injured in a railway collision near Logan, Iowa.

Several persons were killed and injured in a railway accident at Altenheim near Chicago.

There was a demonstration for "sound money" in the New York stock exchange on Saturday.

Senator Power, of Halifax, will probably represent the Irish Roman Catholics in the new ministry.

Arthur Sewall, of Maine, was nominated for vice-president by the democratic convention on Saturday.

Three unknown men ran amuck in Chicago Saturday, shooting and wounding several persons, one fatally.

Vessels leaving British ports will be watched to prevent shipment of arms and ammunition to Cuba.

The French flag ships "Slockheteric" and the British cruisers "Mohawk" and "Buzzard" are on the French shore of Newfoundland to enforce fishery regulations.

Later. Ottawa, July 13th. The following is Mr. Laurier's cabinet.

President of Council, Wilfrid Laurier.

Trade and commerce, Sir Richard Cartwright.

Juftice, Sir Oliver Mowat.

Finance, Premier Fielding.

Militia, Dr. Borden.

Marine and fisheries, L.H. Davies.

Public works, J. S. Tarte,

Railways and canals, G. H. Blair.

Agriculture, Sydney Fisher.

Postmaster general, W. Mulock.

Customs, W. Patterson.

Inland revenue, Sir Henri Joly.

Secretary of state, R. W. Scott.

Solicitor-general, Charles Fitzpatrick.

Interior department left vacant for the present.

Without portfolio, C. A. Geoffrion and R. R. Dobell.

TO-DAY'S TRAIN.

One car merchandise for Galt & Co.

TRAIN 30 minutes late leaving Calgary.

D. J. YOUNG, of the Calgary Herald staff, arrived on Thursday's train.

THE sittings of the supreme court were closed on Thursday and Judge Scott left for the south on Friday's train.

REV. G. W. DEAN with Mrs. Dean and family leave by to-morrow's train for their new sphere at Portage la Prairie.

THE regular meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Aid Society will be held at the hospital to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

H. B. ROUND was down town to-day on crutches, having dislocated his knee at the English church choir picnic three weeks ago.

A MEETING of the shareholders of the E. D. R. R. Co. is called for Wednesday at 8 p. m. for further organization of the company and election of first board of directors.

T. FAVEL has been laid up for a week having cut his foot with an axe when clearing some ground at his home. He is at work to-day for the first time since the accident.

THE Edmonton County Lodge Patrons of Industry are calling a convention for next Saturday at 2 o'clock in the council chamber to select a candidate for the election to the Northwest Assembly. See advertisement.

A COMPLIMENTARY dance will be given to Mrs. and Miss Allen, in Robertson hall on Wednesday evening, by a number of the friends of those ladies. A large number of invitations have been sent out and an enjoyable time is promised.

W. MCKAY returned from Moose Creek last night. He took out M. Campbell, the new operator for the government office there and did necessary repairs to the line while away. He reports that plenty of rain has fallen along the river and crops between here and Saddle lake are consequently looking well. He had a very pleasant trip.

SUSAN LAWRENCE, M.D., and her brother Fred Lawrence arrived last Wednesday from Vermillion River, where their father owns a grist and lumber mill. Miss Lawrence has been visiting her parents for the past year and is now returning to Chicago where she has a medical practice. Her brother is on his way to Illinois also, where he will enter a business college and study for a year or two.

H. F. DAVIS who was a partner with W. Cust on Peace River about 20 years ago, arrived from Vermilion yesterday morning with furs, accompanied by W. Knibb. Since leaving here last August Davis has been confined to his bed with paralysis. He was brought in the whole distance of about 700 miles in a wagon, and though an old man intends to return to the north as soon as his business here is done. His furs are in the exchange for competition.

THE new officers of Court Beaver House A. O. F. were installed last Thursday night by P. C. R. Martin, as follows: P. C. R., W. B. Stennett; C. R., T. G. Lauder; S.C. R., T. B. Folliott; secretary, J. W. Kelly; treasurer, H. Aldridge; S. W., R. J. Manson; J. W., J. R. Umbach; S. B., H. Hooey; J. B., J. R. Fulton. A number of visitors from Court Clyde, of South Edmonton, were expected but on account of the storm only H. Goslyn attended. After the installation refreshments were served and a programme of songs, speeches and stories was rendered in which Messrs. McAdam, Purches, Cann, Goslyn, McInnis, Evans, Stennett, Kelly, Martin, Lauder and Chivers Wilson took part.

JOHN ROSS, Indian agent at Saddle lake, is in town.

CLEMENT GIRARD, school teacher at the Indian Reserve, Lake St. Anne, arrived in town this morning and is registered at the Queen's.

EGGS 8c. to 10c. per dozen; butter 10c. to 12½c. per pound; potatoes 20c. per bushel; loose hay $3.50 to $4 per ton; baled hay $5 to $6 per ton.

A MEETING of electors of Edmonton will be held on Thursday evening at 9 o'clock in the council chamber to appoint delegates to attend the convention to be held on Saturday for selection of a candidate for the local election.

REV. J. E. SOMERSET, from Red Deer, took part in the ordination service at the Methodist church yesterday.

REV. J. MCDOUGALL came up on Thursday to attend the ordination service and camp meeting in connection with the Methodist church.

THE Edmonton presbytery meets in the Presbyterian church to-morrow morning at 11 a. m. and in the evening a public meeting will be held which will be addressed by local ministers.

W. S. EDMISTON has issued a card of thanks to his many friends who wished him to become a candidate for the legislature, and regretting his business will not allow him to accept nomination.

RETURNING officer A. G. Randall has appointed Wednesday, 15th inst., from 10 to 12 o'clock a. m. the time for receiving nominations at the council chamber for election of a councillor in place of Mr. Cowie.

AT the golf links on Saturday the gold button was won by H. de Rouv with 60 shots, the silver by A. E. Snyder with 64, and the bronze by Alex. Taylor with 65. In the ladies contest Mrs. Braithwaite won with 64 shots.

T. A. STEPHEN has been appointed general agent for northern Alberta for the Provincial building and loan association. The local directorate are: Alex. Taylor, president; T. Hourston, vice-president; S. Larue, J. Ross and C. Gallagher, directors.

J. D. MCINTOSH arrived from Peace River Saturday night. He had gone there in the interests of Dunlevy & Co., of Vancouver, and came in with H. F. Davis, a former partner of Mr. Dunlevy. He left here in April for Peace River, and had a pleasant trip.

Hail fell at Beaver lake east on Thursday night and damaged the crops of Jas. and Edward Pruden. On Friday evening a hail storm started at about S. Carson's place, Sturgeon, and went east damaging the crops in a belt about two miles wide, extending to the river at the Horse Hill.

"LA CIGALE" (Miss A. McLeod) entertained a few friends at a pic-nic at Canon Newton's grove on Saturday afternoon. Quite a number of young people were present, in addition to those who took part in the recent performance of the play here. Suitable games and amusements were indulged in till evening when the party returned, having thoroughly enjoyed their outing.

THE hailstorm last Thursday night was severe while it lasted. The hailstones were as large as marbles and hardly a house in town in the line of the storm escaped without considerable damage to windows. Crops in the lower settlement and Rabbit Hills settlement were somewhat damaged and Hugh McKay's crop was completely ruined. Many of the gardens in town also were found to be badly spoiled when the storm, which lasted only seven minutes, had passed.

THE Methodist camp meeting was commenced yesterday on the river flats, where a space had been cleared in the poplar bush south of D. Ross's. Seats had been fixed and a platform built for the accommodation of the choir and minister. The newly formed choir led the singing, Miss Richardson presiding at the organ. The first camp meeting was held in the afternoon when Rev. G. W. Dean preached. In the evening Rev. J. Dyke preached to a large congregation. Revs. J. McDougall, J. E. Somerset, J. A. Dean, W. G. Blewett, A. McKitrick and E. Taylor also took part in the evening service. Large and appreciative congregations attended the services yesterday on each occasion.

On Friday evening a social was held on the Methodist parsonage grounds to bid farewell to Rev. G. W. Dean and Mrs. Dean and to welcome Rev. Joshua Dyke and his wife. After refreshments had been served by the ladies of the church, Mr. Oliver, M. P., was asked to take the chair, and addresses of farewell and welcome were delivered by Revs. D. G. McQueen, C. B. Freeman, A. Stunden and J. McDougall, all giving expression to their brotherly feelings towards Rev. G. W. Dean and tendering cordial greetings to the new minister and his wife. Mr. Dyke thanked the speakers for their kind expressions, and Mr. Dean, who was the guest of the evening, replied to the kindly expressed wishes of his many friends and thanked his brother ministers for the sentiments embodied in their speeches and for the manner in which they had aided him on many occasions during his ministry here.

E. J. Wood, Dominion government immigration agent in England, arrived on Thursday's train on a tour of inspection of the Edmonton district. He visited Fort Saskatchewan and Beaver Hills districts and will return south on to-morrow's train. Mr. Wood brought out from England a party of 110 settlers by the Allan steamer Parisian, which arrived at Quebec on June 11th. About 40 remained in Ontario and Quebec, 40 in Manitoba, 15 in the Northwest and 15 in British Columbia. The members of the party were chiefly of the agricultural class and brought an average of about $1,500 in cash with them. Mr. Wood intends visiting all the principal points in the Northwest and British Columbia before returning to England in September. He says that the Edmonton district is exciting much interest in the old country and is likely to receive a large share of the immigration. Mr. Wood is an Englishman who farmed for a number of years in Southwestern Manitoba and was also a member of the Manitoba legislature.

THE real estate of the John Cameron estate was sold at auction on Saturday by W. S. Robertson and realised $8000.

THE Methodist camp meeting services will be continued on the river flat this week. Three services will be held each day. The preachers until Thursday will be as follows: Eight p. m. this evening Rev. J. McDougall; Tuesday 3 p. m. Rev. A. Whiteside, 8 p. m., Rev. W. B. Chegwin; Wednesday, 3 p. m., Rev. C. B. Freeman; 8 p. m., Rev. D. G. McQueen; Thursday, 3 p. m., Rev. H. Noice; 8 p. m. Rev. A. Macdonald. Prayer meeting each forenoon at 10:30.

FUR SALES.

July 6—W. Farney, Cold Lake, to W. B. Stennett, $90. July 7—Chippewyan Indians: lot 1, private sale to H. B. Co., $500; lot 2, to W. B. Stennett, $235.40; lot 3, to Jas. Walsh, $136; lot 4, to W. B. Stennett, $235.80; lot 5, to W. B. Stennett, $418.70; lot 6, to Jas. Walsh, $21.50; lot 7, to W. B. Stennett, $76; lot 8, to H. B. Co., $13.50; Lynn Short, Fort McMurray to J. Walsh, $163; Geo. Martin, Fort Smith, to Jas. Walsh, $603. July 8—E. Brosseau, St. Albert, to H. B. Co., $60.50; D. Ladonceur, Lac la Biche, to W. B. Stennett, $165; E. Brosseau to W. B. Stennett, $300.

ORANGE PIC-NIC.

The Orange lodges of South Edmonton and Fort Saskatchewan held a basket picnic on Saturday, July 11th, in R. McKernan's grove, South Edmonton, in celebration of the two hundred and sixth anniversary of the battle of the Boyne. There was a very large attendance, and the weather was all that could be desired. The South Edmonton lodge, R. McKernan, master, M. Pettipiece, marshall, arrived on the ground about twelve o'clock. Tables had been erected in the grove and lunch was served from twelve o'clock until about half past two. The South Edmonton band was present and added greatly to the attractions of the day. The Fort Saskatchewan lodge was late on arriving having come up by the steamer Minnow, and did not reach the landing until three p. m. At the landing they were met by the Edmonton lodge and marched in procession to the picnic grounds preceded by the band. After the Fort Saskatchewan party had had lunch, the assemblage was called to order by J. F. Forbes, master of Fort Saskatchewan lodge. Rev. R. M. Hawkins, late vicar of Christ church, Brighton, England, delivered the opening address. Addresses were also delivered by Frank Oliver, M. P., Rev. John Dyke, A. C. Rutherford, Rev. D. G. McQueen and M. McCauley. Pieces by the band were interpersed with the addresses, and at the conclusion several fife and drum selections were given in rattling style. Tea was served about six o'clock and the most successful orange celebration ever held in the Edmonton district was brought to a close about eight o'clock.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Local Elections !

NOTICE!

The Edmonton County Lodge Patrons of Industry hereby give notice that a Convention will be held in the Edmonton Town Hall on Saturday, next, July 18th, at 2 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the seat in the Northwest Legislative Assembly which has become vacant by the resignation of F. Oliver, M. P. The electors of each town and settlement in the Electoral District of Edmonton are requested to appoint two delegates to this Convention.

Signed on behalf of above named Edmonton County Lodge Patrons of Industry, this 13th day of July, 1896.

WM. MCADAM,
Organizing Secretary.

NOTICE.—The Electors of Edmonton are requested to attend a meeting at the Town Hall on Thursday evening, the 16th inst., at 9 o'clock p. m., to appoint delegates to attend above Convention.

Suits !

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Gents, Read This.

Having one of the best stocks of Trimmings, Tweeds and Worsteds in this district, we have decided to make the following cut in order to clear them out:

Suits to order $15.00 to $20.00
Regular price 25,00 to 35.00

Good pants to order from $5 up. Also a large stock of Ready-made Clothing and Children's Washing Suits CHEAP at

A. MACDONALD.

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Auditor Wanted

FOR TOWN OF EDMONTON.

Applications will be received by the undersigned until Tuesday, the 14th inst., for the position of Auditor of the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton. Salary, $5.00 per month.

A. G. RANDALL,
Town Clerk.

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Strawberry Festival . .

Given by the Young Ladies of the Hospital Aid Society will be held on the grounds of Mrs. J. A. McDougall,

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15.

Admission free. Strawberries and Ice Cream for sale. Music, Races and other amusements to enliven the time. Grounds open from 5 p. m. to dark.

AUCTION SALE

OF VALUABLE

FARM . STOCK !

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

The undersigned have received instructions from Mr. C. M. Woodworth to sell by public auction at his farm, Poplar Lake (near the Creamery) at 1 o'clock p. m. on

Wednesday, July 15th, 1896

CATTLE—11 Milch Cows, 6 two-year-olds, 5 Yearlings, 10 Calves.

HORSES—1 Heavy Draft Mare, 9 years, colt at foot; 1 Heavy Draft Horse, 6 years; 1 Mare, 1200 pounds, four years; 1 Horse, 1200 pounds, four years; 1 Yearling Colt.

PIGS—13 Hogs, one year old, Yorkshire and Poland China; 13 Pigs.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—1 Massey-Harris Binder, 1 Bain Wagon (nearly new) 1 Press Drill Seeder, 1 Disc Harrow, 1 Prairie Breaker, 1 Combined Plow, 1 Fanning Mill, 1 Set of Bob-sleighs, 2 Sets of Double Harness, 50 Seamless Sacks, Barn and Stable Utensils, etc.

Also the crop on farm, consisting of 72 acres of Oats and 18 acres of Barley.

TERMS—Sums under $15.00, cash; over that amount approved joint notes at six months will be accepted bearing interest at ten per cent. Eight months' time will be allowed on the crop.

TURNBULL & MCADAM,
Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE

OF VALUABLE

FARM . STOCK !

MACHINERY, ETC.

Having received instructions from Jeremiah Knowles, Rabbit Hill, to sell the following articles, I will offer for sale at his residence, Sec. 36, Tp. 51, Rg. 25, at 1 p. m. sharp, on

FRIDAY, JULY 17TH, 1896,

One Brood Mare, 1 Yearling Colt, 1 Toronto Steel Binder, first class order; 1 McCormick Mower and Rake, new; 1 Broadcast Seeder, Van Brunt; 1 Chatham Fanning Mill, new; 1 Potato Scuffler, complete; 1 Set Bob-sleighs; 2 Plows, Cockshutt; 2 Steel Diamond Harrows; 1 Cooking Stove, No. 8; 2 Stoves, heaters; 2 Bedsteads; 2 Tables, 2 Washstands, 1 Cupboard, 1 Bookcase, 1 Daisy Churn, Butter Bowls and Prints, Hay, Potatoe and Manure Forks, Scythes, Hoes, Axes, Picks, Shovels, a number of colonies of Bees, also a number of empty Hives; Chairs, Pails and a large quantity of other articles generally found at a well kept farm house. These goods are all in first class order and of best quality. Terms Cash.

W. S. ROBERTSON, Auctioneer.

Keep Kool

In order to do so it is necessary to wear light clothing. It would be very nice if we could go without any this hot weather but as the law compels everybody to keep covered, we have procured a stock of

Light Underwear at 50c. a Suit,

Also Neglige Shirts at 75c. $1.00 and $1.50. Lustre Coats for $2.00 and $2.50. Straw Hats, 25c., 50c., 75c. and $1.00.

Yours for Kumfort,

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Where's there's life there's 'sope.

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GLYCERINE,
HONEY,
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ROSE,

15c per box; 2 boxes for 25c.
Tar Soap 25c per box.
Virgin Castile Soap, the purest on the market, 50c. per doz. cakes.

GEO. H. GRAYDON,
Post . Office . Drug . Store.
EDMONTON.

Orange Celebration

South Edmonton L. O. L. No. 1654 will hold a basket pic-nic on Saturday, July 11th, at McKernan's lake. Boating and other sports will be indulged in. Good speckers will be present. Booth on ground. Parade at 10.30 to the grove.

R. P. PETTIPIECE, Secretary. R. MCKERNAN, W. Master.

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AT MACDOMALD'S PHARMACY.

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D. W. Macdonald,

DRUGGIST.

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Now is the time to talk

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Persons contemplating any changes and those furnishing new houses are beginning to look and inquire where they can be suited the best as to price, quality and up-to-date goods.

To all such persons we extend a cordial invitation to inspect our new stock of

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FRANK OLIVER, — PROPRIETOR.

EDMONTON BULLETIN, JULY 13TH, 1896.

ELECTION TACTICS.

A news item appears in several papers to the effect that in view of possible tariff revision by the incoming liberal government, the McClary stove foundry and several other manufacturing industries of London, Ont., are curtailing operations and consequently throwing a number of men out of employment. This is a piece of election tactics worthy of the vampires who have bled Canada under the so-called national policy for the past eighteen years. Before the election came off the McClary Co. reduced the wages of a number of their men on the pretext that the mere danger of tariff revision so injuriously affected their interests that they were compelled to cut down expenses. The idea was evidently to furnish an object lesson to all voters employed by protected industries as to the necessity of supporting the protective policy by supporting the candidates who supported that policy. The lesson had its effect as the result of the London election showed. Where Hyman, the liberal candidate, was considered sure of election by a large majority, with the able assistance of the returning officer he was defeated by 118. But so much of this nominal majority was seen to be due to the returning officer that there was no possibility of avoiding another contest in the near future. Therefore the object lesson already given to the working men of London had to be repeated with emphasis, as it has been.

In the meantime the judge who has already achieved a national reputation by defrauding Mr. Hyman of the seat in a previous contest has by going directly contrary to the decisions of the other judges who have held recounts succeeded in saving the seat to the conservatives by a majority of 41, a reduction of 77 from that given Beattie, conservative, by the returning officer. The point of difference between Judge Elliott's decision and that of Judge McDougall in East York, is that the latter allowed all ballots which made clear the intent of the voter, while Judge Elliott threw out all that were not marked within the white disc. Both decisions were alike in that they gave the respective seats to conservatives.

The freedom with which people exercise their intelligence in casting their votes is the basis of popular government. Take away or restrict that freedom and popular government does not exist. When manufacturers affect an election by a system of boycott which the law cannot touch, and when a judge defies the law as established by precedent in order to give a seat to the candidate who was not the popular choice, it is high time for the people of Canada to consider "where they are at," and how much freedom they have left. The purity of purpose of our judiciary has been the pride and boast of Canada. But where two judges hold two directly opposite views on a certain point of law, which opposition results in the election of two candidates of the same side of politics, there is room for questioning either the purity of purpose or the judicial competence of one or both. No doubt an election law under which such work can be done is faulty beyond reason—beyond the point up to which the framers could be excused for not knowing its faults—but our judges have a duty not to exaggerate, but to minimize the faults of the law,—to translate law into justice, as far as possible, not to use even its weakness to perpetrate injustice. It is necessary that the judiciary should be above objection, but it is still more necessary that it should be above suspicion, and where the two propositions clash, so much the worse for the weaker of the two.

The case of boycott—or more correctly lock out—for political purposes by manufacturers is even harder to deal with in the last resort than that of partizan judges. They certainly have a right to dispense with the services of employees when they so please, and not less so because of the political effect which is the natural result of their action. This is a weapon which the protective system is particularly fitted to employ for purposes of political aggression; and its being a weapon which can be used effectively against the general interests of the community a question arises as to how far an industry which forges and uses such a weapon against the general interests, should be treated, not as a legitimate commercial enterprise, but as a common enemy. There are interests to be served in this country besides those of the McClary or any other manufacturing company. Those interests—the producing interests—are now in control of the affairs of the country. They do not wish for any quarrel with the manufacturers. Their policy is one of "live and let live," but let there be no mistake, the accent is on the first word, and the question of what is entitled to be let live can be forced into prominence at any time by action such as has been taken by the McClary and other London companies. Canadian farmers would rather buy their stoves from McClary, Gurney and other Canadian makers than from anyone else. They make good stoves, suitable to the country, equal to their competitors from anywhere. But if it comes down to a question of letting McClary and Gurney run this country or buying their stoves elsewhere—they certainly can, if they are forced to, buy elsewhere. These very estimable gentlemen should not forget that on the 23rd of June, they ceased to dictate the policy of the government of this country, and when they propose to use their protected industry—as they are doing—to shoot at the new government, they would do well to remember that this is one of the cases in which the target can shoot back. They would also do well to remember that as they reduce the number of their hands employed they reduce their claim to the measure of protection which the new government is willing to accord.

A DOMINION POLICY.

The Toronto Globe in a recent issue discusses its idea of a policy for the Dominion as follows:

"Now that the strain of party conflict is relieved, it will be found that upon many points there is substantial agreement among thinking men of all parties as to what ought to be done to place the affairs of the country upon a sounder basis. What conservative, for instance, would defend the gerrymander, or would deny that in the long run it would be better for all parties that the constitutiences should be fairly divided, and the precedent set of dealing with that matter in a judicial way? Who desires a continuance of the expense and inconvenience of making up the lists and bringing in the vote under the Dominion franchise law? Yesterday the balance of advantage under that system was with the conservatives; the change of government transfers it to the liberals, who will control its machinery as long as it exists, but the truth is that no matter whom it may help or hurt it is a public nuisance, which every honest man will be glad to see replaced by a fairer, simpler, more economic and more convenient plan. We may differ as to the blame which attaches to the retiring administration for the enormous increase of debt, expenditure and taxation, but we must all agree that these have been growing too fast for population, and that earnest effort in the direction of simplification and retrenchment is demanded. None of us, as Canadians, can be satisfied with the degree of progress that has been made in immigration, in the settlement of the west and the development of its resources, its fertile prairie lands, the mineral wealth of northern Ontario and British Columbia. We believe the prosperity of the country will be assured when the tide of immigration and investment of capital is once set fairly flowing in our direction. Much depends on getting a fair start. Mere "booming" is not sufficient. The attention of intending immigrants and investors should be drawn to our opportunities in an intelligent, truthful, discriminating way, to the end that every man who puts his money or the labor of his hand or his brain into a Canadian industry may become our ally. In a new country we must expect to spend a good deal of money upon railways and other works connected with colonization and development. But that very necessity is a reason why the money should be spent honestly and intelligently. The mere fact that the people of some locality are clamoring for a particular work is no reason why it should be undertaken by the people of Canada—the test is whether it will benefit the country as a whole. To spend the public money upon a so-called competing railway is usually a wasteful and useless operation. Eventually owners of the two lines will come together and agree upon a common rate; and in arriving at this they will endeavor to recoup themselves for the cost of the new line. If parliament can prevent this, parliament can render the construction of competing lines unnecessary by exercising its powers of regulating the rates. If the rates are fair the competing line is unnecessary; if unfair, parliament should correct the abuse. Another prolific source of waste is the subsidizing of of a railway or the construction of a public work in fulfilment of an election promise, or for the purpose of making a minister or member "solid" in his particular locality, or of providing a profitable job for a contractor who is a liberal contributor to campaign funds. While this practice goes on it is no wonder that as Mr. E. B. Osler says, the country is covered with miles of rusty rails, representing lines that have been built without due consideration of what the interests of the country require. We speak of these things, not by way of useless lamentation over irreparable loss, but in order to show how much room there is for improvement, how much better value the country may receive for its liberal expenditures on railways, canals and other means of development and communication. Even on the much-vexed question of the tariff there is less difficulty than might be supposed in reaching ground upon which the great majority of Canadians would stand. The great majority of Canadians are neither free traders nor McKinley protectionists. It is probable that they trouble themselves less with the theory underlying either system than with their practical effects; just as in England the free trade movement owed its impetus not so much to the intellectual conviction that free trade was sound as to the crying grievance of dear bread. In Canada it is not easy to find so striking an object-lesson, for the simple reason that population is so sparse and providence so bountiful that food is much more abundant than in older lands. Where, however, the tariff compels the paying of an exorbitant price for any article of necessity or comfort, public opinion, without any serious division, would demand its reduction. So it would be generally agreed that a tax upon the raw material of a manufacturer, hampering his business, leaving him less to pay out for wages, and thus causing either low wages or diminution of employment, is a serious evil, demanding an immediate remedy. On the other hand, the average citizen, seeing a large factory with a big wages bill, will be disposed to listen sympathetically to the manufacturer's plea that a moderate duty was necessary to keep it in operation. In our view, as nobody proposes to apply the principles of free trade to our tariff, there is no reason why reform should not proceed along these practical lines, with the view of removing substantial grievances and not of creating new evils by subjecting an industry which is showing healthy growth to a competition which it is not able to bear. It is against combines and monopolies and exorbitant profits that the movement of tariff reform is directed, not against wages, not against the development of manufactures, not against diversity of employment and not against the natural pride that a Canadian feels in the success of a native industry. We look upon the reform of the tariff as a means of putting new life into industry and commerce, of giving new opportunities for employment, and we believe the work will be carried on with those objects in view. We have a country capable of maintaining many times its present population in comfort; we have confidence in its future; we would do everything to advance and nothing to retard the prosperity which we believe it is bound to attain.

A meeting of the council of the Dominion Alliance has been called in Toronto for the 15th to take political action on the question of a plebiscite for prohibition promised by Mr. Laurier, in the event of his accession to power. Among the members summoned to attend two are from Manitoba, Rev. Dr. Bryce and J. Redford Mulock, vice-presidents of the council.

The British commissioners who are to join in the inquiry on the Behring Sea fur seal fishery are expected to finish their labors and return to England early in October. Professor Darcy Thompson, of Dundee university, will visit the Pribyloff islands, while Barrett Hamilton, visits the Commander islands. They are both of high repute as naturalists, and are believed to have some special knowledge about seals and seal fishing.

. ROSS BROS .

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G. A. Reid, our energetic hardware merchant, who has been in the eastern provinces for some five weeks and attended the general assembly as one of the western representatives, is expected home to-day.

Crops here are badly in need of rain.

The house of Ole Nirigard, about six miles east of here, was burned a week last Sunday afternoon with all its contents. The family were away from home and the neighbors assisted by way of cash and supplies to replace some of the loss.

The barn and granary on G. A. Reid's homestead was burned on Wednesday last with contents comprising a grain seeder, two sets harness, roller, etc., causing a loss of $200. The family were away from home. The cause of these fires is not known.

Mobly & Bradshaw having vacated the hotel, we are at present without a licensed house.

W. Armstrong F. Mobley and J. Rae leave this week for Great Slave lake on a trading and hunting expedition. They expect to return in about a year, if all goes well.

Several of the boys left last week for Knee Hills to round up some stray horses.

The Gull Lake Sabbath school held a very successful picnic at the lake on Friday last.

An ice cream social will be held in the Presbyterian church on Friday evening, the 10th inst.

The Methodist Sunday school will picnic at Jack Fish lake next Wednesday.

Several of our Sabbath school workers will attend the convention at Innisfail this week.

July 6th.

GENERAL NEWS.

A company to be known as the Winnipeg Live Stock Exchange is forming in Winnipeg, to do a shipping and export commission business in live stock.

H. R. Foulkes, wholesale liquor merchant of Moosomin, committed suicide on Saturday afternoon by taking strychnine. No cause is known for the rash act.

At the great Henley Regatta last Tuesday the Yale crew were defeated by the Leander in the race for the grand challenge cup. Leander won by one and threequarter lengths in 7 minutes, 14 seconds. The record is 6 minutes, 51 seconds.

Austria, notwithstanding that it is confronted by a big deficit, proposes to spend many millions for a new army rifle called the Waffe, weighing a little over six pounds and with twenty-six magazines containing 130 catridges. Fifteen thousand rifles have been ordered outright.

According to latest official reports, Canada occupies the proud position of being the fifth maritime nation of the world. On the Dominion registry books there are 7,262 vessels, with 825,836 tons register. Two hundred and fifty new vessels were built last year. The value of the Canadian shipping is $24,750,000.

The whaler Hope, which has been chartered to convey the Peary expedition to Greenland, has been docked at St. John's Nfld., to have fitted the new propeller shaft which arrived for her by the steamer Assyrian from Glasgow. She leaves there for Sydney on July 10, and the expedition departs from Sydney on July 14.

Cape Town dispatch of July 2. says: The massacres of white people in Matabeleland continues. Powerful chiefs are joining the insurgents, and an attack on Buluwayo is expected the next new moon, July 10. The supply of provisions there is short. The mounted infantry of the Colonial volunteers has left here for Matabeleland. Premier Sprigg predicts a rising of natives in the colony.

Haz Mitchelli, the oldest Cretan chief, on the eve of his departure from London for Crete says that the Cretans have decided to fight to the last, the supreme fight and be lost forever or else be saved. He himself has taken a solemn cath to fight to the end for annexation to Greece. The revolutionary government committee has called an assembly, which will meet probably at Vamos. Great exultation is felt here at the victory gained by the Cretans over the Turks.

A Toronto telegram of July 6th, says: The Globe announces officially that the tariff will not be revised in the short summer session but will remain unaltered until the early part of next year. The Globe further says that as the spoils system is at variance with the principles of the liberal party. No faithful and efficient employees of the government will be discharged, providing they have shown political neutrality. No official announcement has been made regarding the new Cabinet.

From advices received by the Australian steamer Miowera it now seems probable that the Queensland government will join New South Wales and Canada in granting a subsidy to the Canadian-Australian steamship line. Capt. Bird, on behalf of James Huddard, the managing owner of the line, recently interviewed the Queensland government and it is said the government will recommend parliament to grant a subsidy of £6,000 per year for three years. The company are at present negotiating in England for the construction of a larger steamer for the line.

A London dispatch of July 7th, says; Colonel Francis Rhodes, whose death sentence was commuted by president Kruger after he had been convicted of high treason against the Transvaal, writes to the Times this morning that the story of Col. White's pocketbook, purported notes and extracts from which were published some time since by the Transvaal government and which contained alleged telegrams from Francis Rhodes] implicating Cecil Rhodes and the Chartered South Africa company in the conspiracy of the Transvaal raid, is a fabrication from beginning to end.

A recent Washington despatch says: The first advices from the geological survey party sent to investigate the gold resources of the interior of Alaska, have just reached here from J. E. Spurr, the expert who heads the expedition. The party reached Juneau, June 9, and before going on hastily inspected the mines there. Expert Spurr says these mines will be even more productive in the future than now. The party were anchored off Dyea, foot of Chilcat Pass, and about to begin the ascent of the pass. They hope to so expedite the passage across Chilcat Pass to field work on the Upper Yukon that work will be completed and return east made in October or November. If the party remain later they will winter at Circle City, Upper Yukon.

Reports from Fraser river points state that the river is steadily raising. At Chilliwack considerable damage has been done to the crops on low lying lands and the steamer Gladys has been busily engaged for the past few days removing cattle and settlers' effects to high ground. Nicomen Island is also suffering from high water and all down the river on both sides where ever the low levels not fully protected by high dykes are under cultivation, damage is being done. Mission City townsite will also probably be under water in many parts if the hot wheather continues. The opinion is expressed that even if the waters recede very soon the aggregate amount of loss will be considerable.

A telegram from Vancouver, July 6th, says: Bush fires are raging around every town on the mainland of British Columbia, and at Vancouver and other places fireman are kept busy night and day keeping the flames within bounds. Ten years ago last month this city was destroyed by bush fires so that each year extraordinary precautions are taken. The fire system at Cumberland, B. C., was not so efficient, with the result that a business block and five isolated stores were burnt to the ground last night. The danger at other places is serious and many special firemen are being hired to fight the flames in the outskirts of the settlement.

As regards the election in Alberta there is little to be said. The liberals know as we do that Alberta is overwhelmingly conservative, and that it was really conservative votes which elected Mr. Oliver. We were beaten fairly by a good man, and we have got to take our medicine. If Alberta was bound to elect a liberal, we can frankly say there is no one of that party in the constituency whom we would rather see elected than Mr. Oliver. Mr. Cochrane would have made a good representative, and his defeat was caused by circumstances which, if those who were responsible for them have any sense, will never arise again. Indeed it may be taken for granted that the conservatives of Alberta will never permit them to be repeated.—MacLeod Gazette.

COMPARISONS.

Moosomin, Assa., July 4, '96.

EDITOR BULLETIN.

SIR: Would you kindly allow me space in your valuable paper to give the people of Northern Alberta an idea of how prosperous they are compared with the people of all the country. I have travelled through from Saskatoon here. In the first place I wish to say that I left my farm 7 miles east of Fort Saskatchewan bound for Detroit, Michigan, on the 3rd day of June, 1896. As far as Saskatoon crops looked good and people seemed to be satisfied and making a good living, getting fair prices for all their produce. But as I come southeast along the Long lake and Regina road things looked bad. Every crop I saw looked as if it had not been in the ground over two weeks. Some barley out of the ground, others from one to two inches high; and it is all a bare bleak open country. Some places they have to draw their wood 50 and 60 miles. No coal but what is shipped in on the railroad. It costs from $7 to $8.50 per ton and is not a bit better coal than what we can get just for the mining and drawing. Now we will compare prices. People here in Moosomin tell me that they cannot sell their wheat if touched with frost ever so little. Good wheat brings from 20c to 35c per bushel; oats are no price, no market for them; eggs three dozen for 25c. retail; butter 10c per pound. And remember they have to herd their cattle and have no wood closer than 40 miles; no coal closer than 90 miles and no gold at all. One man told me that he had seen farmers draw their garden stuff and potatoes in here over 30 miles, and as they could not sell it dumped it out on the prairie out side the town. Now Moosomin is no exception. It is the same all the way from Saskatoon here. Now let the people of Northern Alberta compare this with what they have. Lots of wood, lots of coal, and gold for digging it. A better market than they have here. And what do we find. Why that Edmonton district is the very best part, of the Northwest and if those who intend to pull out would take my advice they would not leave it, for they cannot find as good in the Northwest anywhere. The reason I write this is that quite a few have asked me to write and tell them if I struck any country I thought was better, and as I am not like the majority of people who pulled out from there this spring I will tell the truth and do it in a public way, so as to contradict the stories they have been telling all the way along. I mean to write again to you from St. Paul, Minn., for I am following the trail those people took all the way to St. Paul. Thanking you for your kindness and space in your valuable paper,

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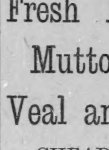
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A special ordination service was held at the Methodist church on Sunday morning. The candidates for ordination were J. A. Dean, of Victoria; A. McKitrick, of Saddle Lake; and W. G. Blewett, of White Whale Lake. There was a large congregation. The lesson was read by Rev. J. E. Somerset, of Red Deer. Rev. John McDougall preached the ordination sermon, taking for his text the words, "Quit ye like men, be strong," and said that the gospel was no speculation though men had theorized concerning it, and had built up dogmas and traditions around it. It was a living fact, the most stupendous fact within the range of human thought. It was the most practical thing in the universe. It was a revelation of the truth and love and mercy of God towards man through Christ, and his text was full of that thought. It was a clarion trumpet sound rousing the armies of God against the forces of the powers of darkness. He never yet met a man steeped in sin who had not something of the divine hid away in his nature. In that revelation God had placed the germ of righteousness and truth in humanity. The apostle being conscious of that appeals to man to become as like the creator as is possible. The candidates should give men the gospel in the benediction of its blessing, and they would have enlightened beings, capable beings, mighty beings. There need not be any obstacle to the understanding of the truth. How unreasonable it was for man to say it was hard to do right. It was the most natural thing to rise, and most unnatural to do wrong. They should remember that in dedicating themselves that day they had power and strength, they had God their side. It was reasonable for them to be men, to be righteous, manly, consistent, as exponents of that gospel teaching about to be committed to them through Christ. It was not what they professed, or may say, or appear to be before men. It was what they did that would prove their worthiness. How the gospel digs right down into the makeup of their being, into the very deepest recesses of the mind, seeking to build on a foundation which would be immovable. The God who created them had put within them the power to grasp that revelation. In all walks of life "quit you like men." The apostle could find no better comparison than man with men. He appealed to men to be men. The apostle and the gospel would have them be men superior to church, creed or denomination. Men, strong in truth, righteousness, purity, in all that makes the christian character. Let them be true, believing in humanity, in themselves, in those around them, and above all in God.

After the test questions had been answered by the candidates, Revs. G. W. Dean, J. McDougall, J. E. Somerset and J. Dyke laid their hands on the kneeling candidates Rev. G. W. Dean delivered the charge. This portion of the service was most impressive.

CATTLE SHIPMENTS.

The following is a list of car lots of live stock and beef shipped from points on the C. & E. north of Calgary since April 1895.

1895.

April	26, 2	cars	cattle Lacombe to Montreal.
	30, 2	"	" Wetaskiwin to Calgary
	30, 2	"	" Lacombe to Calgary
	30, 3	"	" Red Deer to Calgary
May	4, 1	"	" Lacombe to Revelstoke
July	9. 6	"	" Wetaskiwin--Montreal
	23, 6	"	" Edmonton to Okotox
	26, 1	"	" Olds to Regina
Sept.	27, 1	"	" Edmonton--Crane Lake
	27, 5	"	" Wetaskiwin--Montreal
Oct.	29, 4	"	" Wetaskiwin to Calgary
	29, 1	"	" Lacombe to Calgary
Nov.	5, 3	"	" Edmonton to Calgary
	5, 2	"	" Olds to Montreal
	8, 1	"	beef Red Deer to Halifax
	12, 1	"	cattle Wetaskiwin- Calgary
	15, 1	"	" Edmonton to Okotox
	29, 1	"	" Edmonton to Calgary
Dec.	6, 1	"	sheep Edmonton to Calgary
	10, 1	"	cattle Edmonton to Calgary
	10, 1	"	" Edmonton-High River
	13, 1	"	" " to Calgary
	24, 1	"	" " " "
	29, 3	"	" " " "

1896.

Jan.	3, 5	"	" Olds to Calgary
	3, 1	"	sheep Crossfield--Vancouver
	7, 2	"	cattle Edmonton-Vancouver
	14, 1	"	" Edmonton- Vancouver
	14, 1	"	horses Lacombe to Calgary
	14, 3	"	cattle Red Deer--High River
	17, 4	"	" Edmonton-High River
	24, 1	"	" Edmonton to Calgary
Jan.	28, 3	"	" Wetaskiwin to Calgary
	31, 1	"	" Edmonton to Calgary
Feb.	4, 1	"	" Red Deer--Arrowhead
	4, 1	"	sheep Crossfield--Vancouver
	11, 5	"	cattle Edmonton-High River
	14, 1	"	" Edmonton to Calgary
	18, 1	"	sheep Crossfield-Vancouver
	21, 3	"	cattle Edmonton to Calgary
	28, 1	"	" Innisfail to Calgary
March	3, 1	"	" Edmonton to Calgary
	10, 1	"	sheep Crossfield-Vancouver
	13, 1	"	cattle " "
	13, 1	"	" Olds to Vancouver
	13, 1	"	" Wetaskiwin - Gleichen
	20, 1	"	" Olds to Calgary
	21, 1	"	hogs Edmonton to Calgary
	24, 1	"	sheep Crossfield-Vancouver
	27, 2	"	cattle Edmonton to Calgary
	28, 1	"	horses Edmonton to Calgary
	31, 1	"	cattle Wetaskiwin-Gleichen
April	10, 1	"	" Edmonton-High River
	10, 1	"	" Edmonton to Calgary
	14, 1	"	" Wetaskiwin - Gleichen
	17, 1	"	" Edmonton to Calgary
	24, 6	"	" Wetaskiwin to Calgary
May	12, 1	"	" Wetaskiwin-Gleichen
	22, 2	"	" " "
	26, 1	"	" Edmonton to Calgary
	26, 1	"	" Innisfail to Calgary
	29, 1	"	" Edmonton to Calgary
April	14, 14	"	" by special train.

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METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory Edmonton, for the dates given:

July

		Max.	Min.
Thursday,	9,	82	
Friday,	10,	79	67
Saturday,	11,	78	48
Sunday,	12,	78	51
Monday,	13,		59

Barometer reduced to sea level 29.848.

BRITISH COLUMBIA ELECTIONS.

The following are the results of the polls in British Columbia according to the official declaration of the returning officer

YALE, CARIBOO.

Bostock, liberal,	1824
Mara, conservative,	1479
	345

BURRARD.

Maxwell, liberal,	1587
Cowan, conservative,	1276
Bowser, independent conservative,	459
Liberal majority,	311

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Morrison, liberal,	1805
McBride, conservative,	1440
Liberal majority,	365

VANCOUVER ISLAND DISTRICT.

McInnis, liberal,	1020
Haslam, conservative,	823
Haggart conservative,	546
Liberal majority	197

THE LOCAL ELECTION.

All male British subjects by birth or naturalization, who are 21 years of age and have resided in the Northwest Territories for twelve months, and in the electoral district of Edmonton for three months before polling day will be entitled to vote.

Voting will be from 9 a.m till 5 p.m, and each person presenting himself for the purpose of voting will be asked by the returning officer his name, occupation and place of residence which must be given in a voice audible to the scrutineer and the particulars given shall be entered in the poll books. If a scrutineer has reason to believe a person claiming to vote is not qualified, he may order the returning officer to require such person to make an affirmation as to his right to vote.

There is no provision for the appointment of enumerators as in the Dominion election. Every person qualified to vote gives his name &c., as above mentioned to the returning officer, who will hand him a ballot paper which must be a piece of good white cardboard, one inch by two inches.

When handing the voter the ballot paper the returning officer shall tell the voter the names of the candidates and the colors which represent them, and the voter shall then go into the inner room where he will find colored pencils each color representing one candidate. The voter will mark the face of the ballot with a X using the pencil of the color which represents the candidate he wishes to vote for.

Sheriff's Sale!

Northwest Territories } To Wit. }

By virtue of a Writ of Execution issued out of the Supreme Court of the North-west Territories, Northern Alberta Judicial District, at the suit of J. L. Bailor & Co., plaintiff, and A. L. Masterman and Augusta Masterman, defendants, and to me directed against the goods and chattels of Augusta Masterman, I have seized and taken into execution the following Goods and Chattels, namely:

Four Mares branded H, 1 three-year-old Mare branded H, 1 three-year-old Gelding, 1 two-year-old Gelding branded X, 1 grey Mare, Caruse, 1 Sorrel Mare, two years old, branded 35, 5 Yearling Colts, 1 Black Cow and Calf, 1 two-year-old heifer, which I shall expose for sale on Saturday, the 18th day of July, 1896, at Mr. McCauley's Sale Stables, Edmonton, at the hour of 2 p. m.

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Sheriff's office, Edmonton, June 30th, 1896.

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71.76 St. Albert P. O.

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71-76 Duhamel P. O. Alta.

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For Tofield P. S. S. D. No. 376. Applications, stating salary, certificate held, and enclosing testimonials, to be in by July 31st. Duties to commence August 10th. Apply to
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ESTRAY.

Came to the premises of E. Cummings, Tp. 54, R. 24, west 4th, one dirty iron grey stallion, one year old. No brand visible. Apply to
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52	23	26 N W qr	53	22	26 N W qr
52	24	23 N E qr	54	22	S W hf
52	24	13 n hf & 101 acres o. S hf	54	22	26 N W qr
53	22	S W hf	54	23	19 W. hf.
53	24	25 S. E. qr	54	23	13 all
53	24	19 w hf	54	23	15 S. E. qr.
53	22	S W hf	54	23	17 w hf & s e qr
53	23	1 N. W. qr	54	23	19 all
53	23	3 N. E. qr.	54	23	21 all
53	23	S W. hf	54	23	25 W hf
53	23	S W. hf	54	23	35 all
53	23	9 N. W. qr	54	24	3 S. W. qr.
53	23	13 S. W. qr	54	24	21 w hf & n e qr
53	23	17 N. W. qr	54	24	23 S W qr
53	23	25 N. W. qr	54	24	27 s hf & n w qr
53	23	26 N. W. qr	54	24	35 n hf & s w qr
53	23	21 N. E. qr.	54	21	S N W qr
53	23	23 E. hf.	54	22	26 N W qr
53	23	28 S hf	55	21	S N hf
53	23	33 e hf & s w qr	55	21	26 N W qr

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